#### **Director Activities**

- 72 Library Visits
- 12 Library Board Consultations
- 32 Meetings
- 3 Library Students helped
- 4 Open Houses attended
- 8 Webinars viewed
- 15 Journal Articles Suggested
- 149 Emails to RVLS Email List
- 46 Posts on RVLS Webpage
- 4 Workshops Attended
  Attorney General's Charities Conference
  Community Assessment
  Affordable Care Act
  Digital Literacy Coaching Corps
- 21 Presentations
  Beyond Book Sales
  Library Ethics
  Weeding Can Be Fun!
  On Demand (18)
- 1 Basic Skills Class Online Taught Management & Supervision 6/3/13-6/14/13
- 2 Conferences Attended ARSL—Omaha, NE 9/26/13-9/28/13 NLA—Kearney, NE 10/9/13-10/11/13

#### Committees

- Local Arrangements Committee for ARSL Conference
- Minden Library Director Search
- State Advisory Council for Libraries
- Systems Reconfiguration Task Force





#### **RVLS Board Members**

Jody Crocker President
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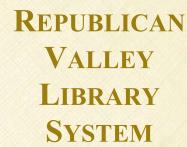
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Better Library Service Through Cooperation



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#### Services Provided

- 20 Workshops
- 717 Discs cleaned
- 365 Audiobooks circulated
- 16 Ellison Die Cut System
- 10 Professional Books loaned
- 759 Magazine routing
- 32 Book Sets loaned
- 4 Spanish Language Kits used
- 1 eReader Kit usage
- 1 Wii Gaming System usage
- 13 Bulk Loan Participants
- 136 Display Ideas
- Scholarships Granted (\$1.190.36 Total)
- 6 Newsletters



retired after 30 years of service. Jennifer Einspahr is the new Library Director.

## **Cooperative Projects**

Nebraska Library Leadership Institute Nebraska Regional Library Systems, UN-L Libraries, Nebraska Library Commission

Breaking Down Barriers to Excellent
Customer Service
2013 NLA/NSLA Pre-Conference
Nebraska Regional Library Systems

<u>Winter Workshop</u>

RVLS & Meridian Library System

League of Municipalities Meeting
Exhibit Booth
Nebraska Library Commission,
Nebraska Library Association,
Nebraska Regional Library Systems



The Summer Reading Workshop was held in the newly remodeled basement of the Holdrege Area Public Library. This was the biggest meeting of the year. We had 42 participants!



Sky Seery at the North Platte Community College Resource Center won the Kindle during the Week of Weeding.

# Workshop Topics

(RVLS presented in 2013-14)

Beyond Book Sales
Book Mending
Book Reviews, Book Talks, and Book Lists
Cool (Free) Web Tools
Dewey or Don't We: Library Organization

E-Rate: A Step-by-Step How-To
Hot Young Adult Titles

Libraries and the Affordable Care Act

Library Ethics

Nonfiction Picture Books Notable Books

Passive Programming for Teens Personnel Policies

Strategic Planning: A Customized Program Summer Reading Program

Weeding

### **New Service**

Workshops on Demand allow you to choose the workshop topic, select the date and time, and decide how many from your staff will attend...all at no cost to you.

Author Peg Sundberg visited RVLS in January.

- Spoke to 350 people.
- Programs at 3 schools and 2 public libraries.

The Republican Valley Library System will assist libraries of all types to achieve their fullest potential in the areas of information dissemination, leadership, technology, and resource sharing.